

**High School Language Arts – Hard**

**Action to be taken: I move the Board approve the High School Language Arts Curriculum Materials as recommended.**

As part of our High School Language Arts adoption, the High School teachers and our Materials Selection Committee (on March 27) recommended a variety of novels for the purpose of whole class novels and Book Club selections for High School Language Arts. The materials were on public display from June 7, 2019 to June 20, 2019, and are now being presented for Board approval. This is the third of several sets of High School Language Arts materials being presented to the Board for this adoption.

The recommended materials are:

**Grade Level 9**

<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>	<b>Instructional Use</b>	<b>Publisher</b>	<b>Copyright</b>
Persepolis 1	Marjane Satrapi	Whole Class Novel	Pantheon	2003
Things Fall Apart	Chinua Achebe	Whole Class Novel	Penguin Books	2009
Americanized: Rebel Without a Green Card	Sara Saedi	Book Club Selection	Knof Books for Young Readers	2018
Piecing Me Together	Renee Watson	Book Club Selection	Bloomsbury	2017

**Grade Level 10**

<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>	<b>Instructional Use</b>	<b>Publisher</b>	<b>Copyright</b>
Chronicle of a Death Foretold	Gabriela Garcia Marquez	Whole Class Novel	Vintage Publishing	1982
Frankenstein	Mary Shelley	Whole Class Novel	Dover	1994
Lord of the Flies	William Golding	Whole Class Novel	Penguin Books	1954
Outliers: The Story of Success	Malcolm Gladwell	Whole Class Novel	Back Bay Books	2008
Radius of Us, The	Marie Marquardt	Book Club Selection	St Martin's Griffin	2016